

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF SOUTH CAROLINA

Solomon Johnson,) C/A No.: 1:18-2523-DCN-SVH
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Plaintiff,)
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vs.)
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) ORDER
Ronald Hollister and Marshall)
Stowers,)
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Defendants.)
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Plaintiff, proceeding pro se, brought this action alleging violations of his constitutional rights by defendants. On February 12, 2019, Defendants¹ filed a motion for summary judgment. [ECF No. 28]. As Plaintiff is proceeding pro se, the court entered an order pursuant to *Roseboro v. Garrison*, 528 F.2d 309 (4th Cir. 1975), advising him of the importance of the motions and of the need for him to file adequate responses by March 15, 2019. [ECF No. 29]. Plaintiff was specifically advised that if he failed to respond adequately, the motion may be granted.

Notwithstanding the specific warning and instructions set forth in the court's *Roseboro* order, Plaintiff has failed to respond to Defendants' motion. As such, it appears to the court that he does not oppose the motion and

¹ Plaintiff also sued Marty Lutz, but he was dismissed from this case by order of the Honorable David C. Norton, United States District Judge, on March 4, 2019. [ECF No. 34].

wishes to abandon this action. Based on the foregoing, Plaintiff is directed to advise the court whether he wishes to continue with this case and to file a response to the motion for summary judgment by April 1, 2019. Plaintiff is further advised that if he fails to respond, the undersigned will recommend that this action be dismissed for failure to prosecute. *See Davis v. Williams*, 588 F.2d 69, 70 (4th Cir. 1978); Fed. R. Civ. P. 41(b).

IT IS SO ORDERED.



March 18, 2019
Columbia, South Carolina

Shiva V. Hodges
United States Magistrate Judge